

Request for Proposals
06-RFP-002
VHF Radio Upgrade
Valles Caldera Trust

Addendum as a result of site visits on August 30, 2006 and September 7, 2006.

Submissions due date has been modified to **September 15, 2006.**

- **Will the Trust be providing the radios?**
 - No. The purchase of identified radios should be included in your proposal.
- **What color should the claim shells be?**
 - Orange or some color other than black or gray.
- **Will the Trust accept proposals for another brand of mobile or portable radios?**
 - Yes, we will accept a proposal for another brand of mobile, portable or both provided you include a brief explanation of why the brand you selected it better.
- **What are the solar power requirements for the systems at the visitor information centers?**
 - Each system will need to run the radio for one week and run one of the battery chargers, identified in the RFP, twice a day.
- **Are there concerns about antennas?**
 - Yes. Please consider antennas that make the smallest visual impact as possible, while still effectively performing their function.

Additional items:

- If possible the Trust would like to be able to control the Abrigo repeater (talk to people in the field) from both the 18161 Highway 4 and Union Building locations.